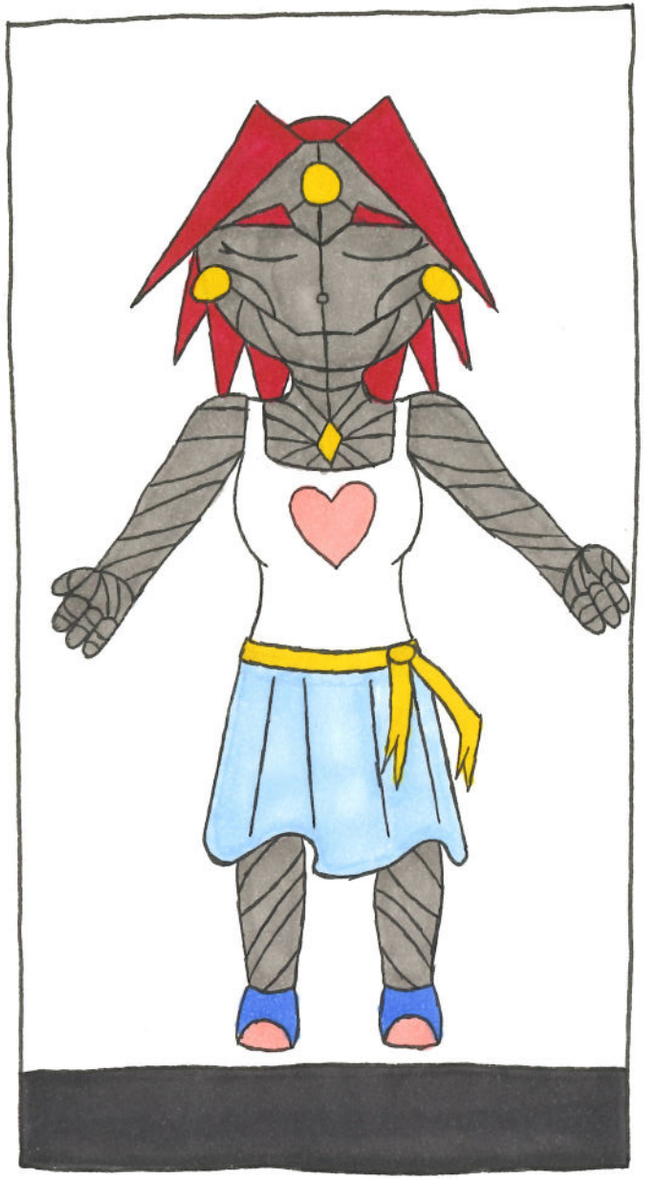
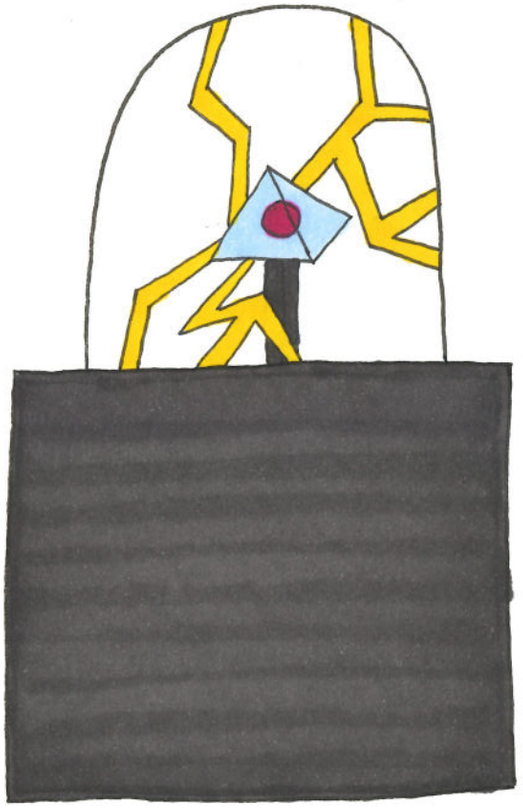
There once was an inventor

who created all types of inventions to help the world



But none of them compared to his greatest invention . . .



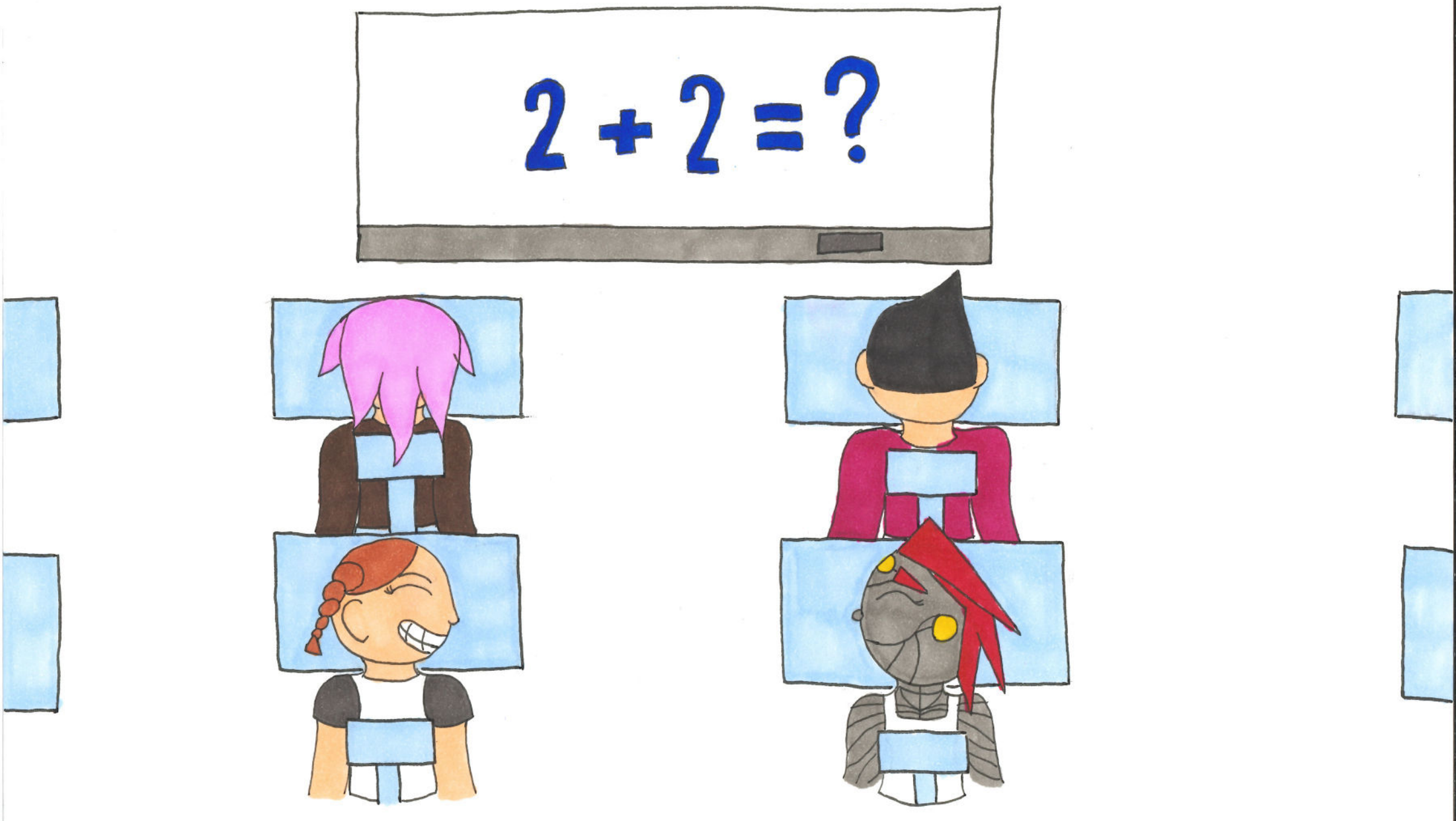
. . . a robot with human emotions!

He named the robot Asta . . .

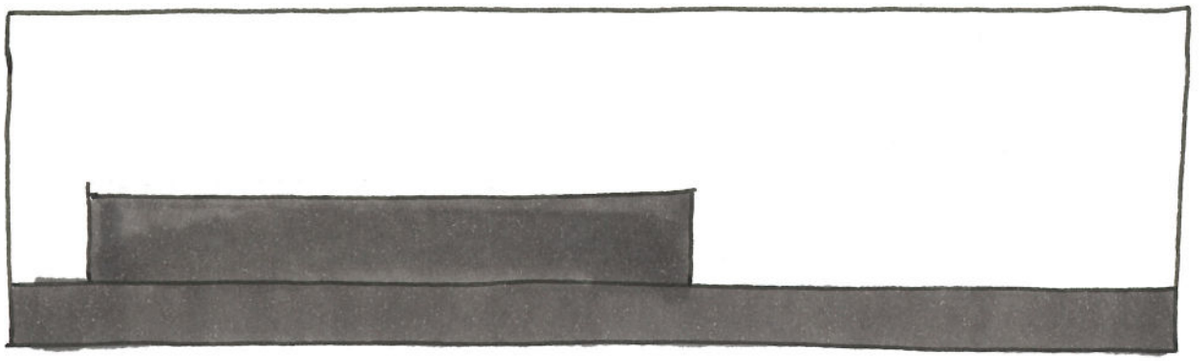
. . . and he raised her as his own child

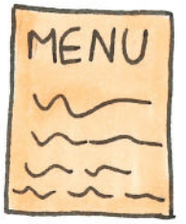
The professor sent
Asta to school

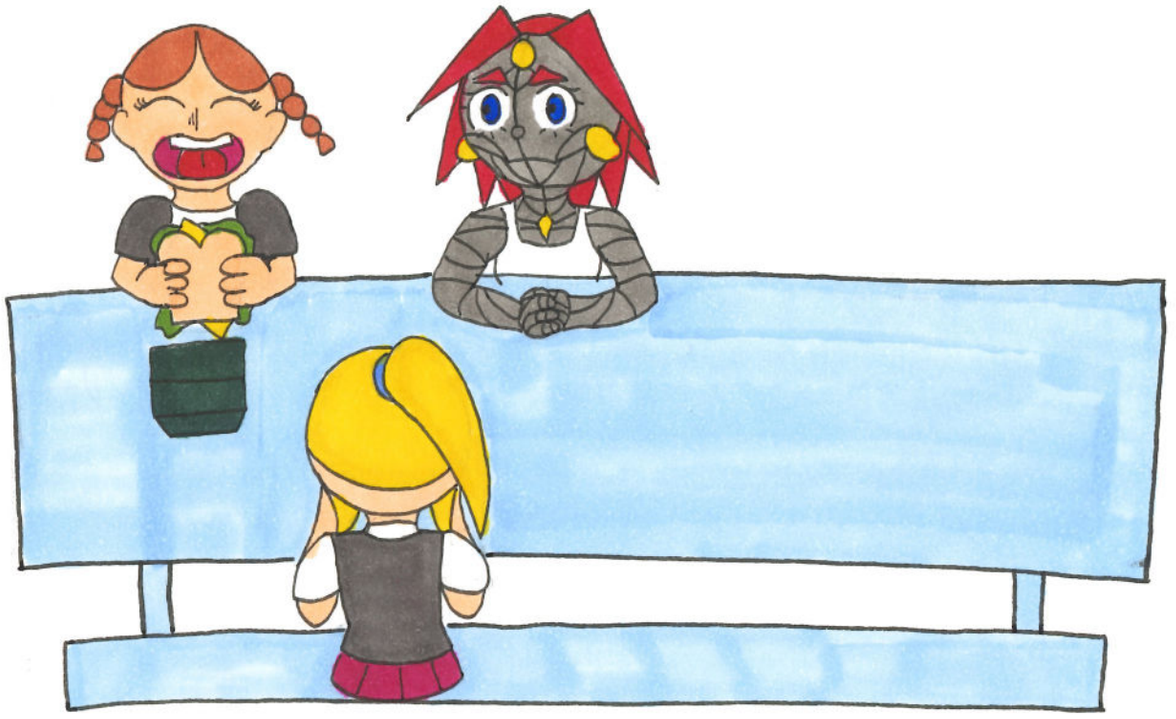
to learn about
the world
in which she lived

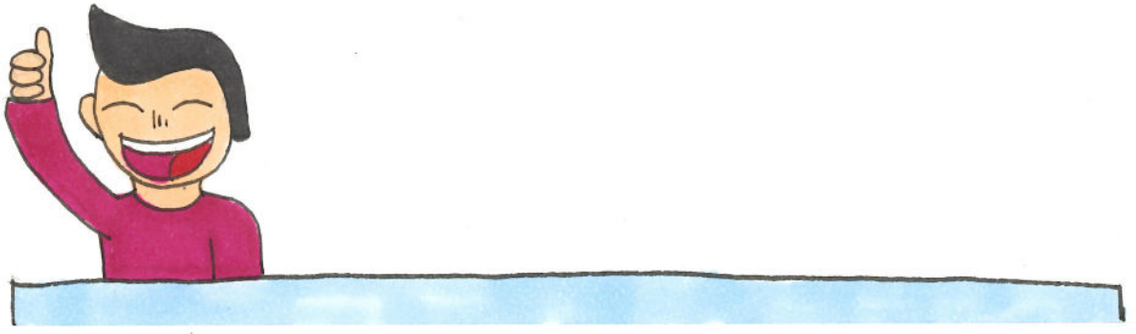


She came to enjoy her time at school,
making friends and learning a lot each day.

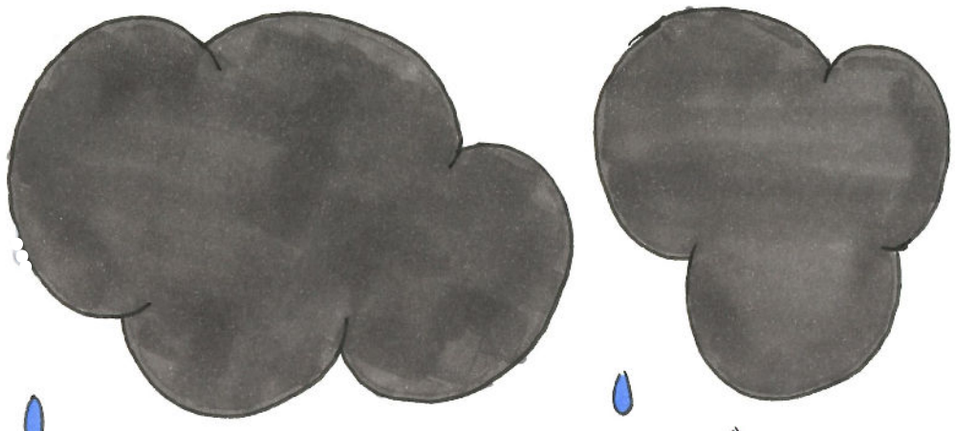


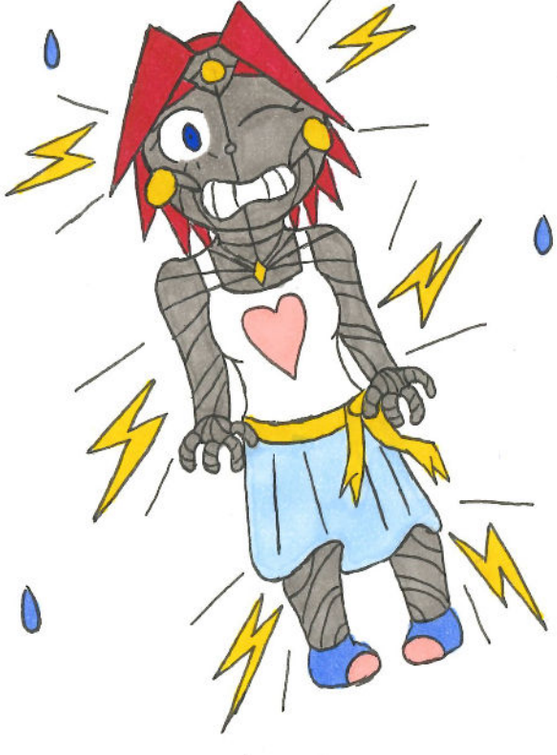






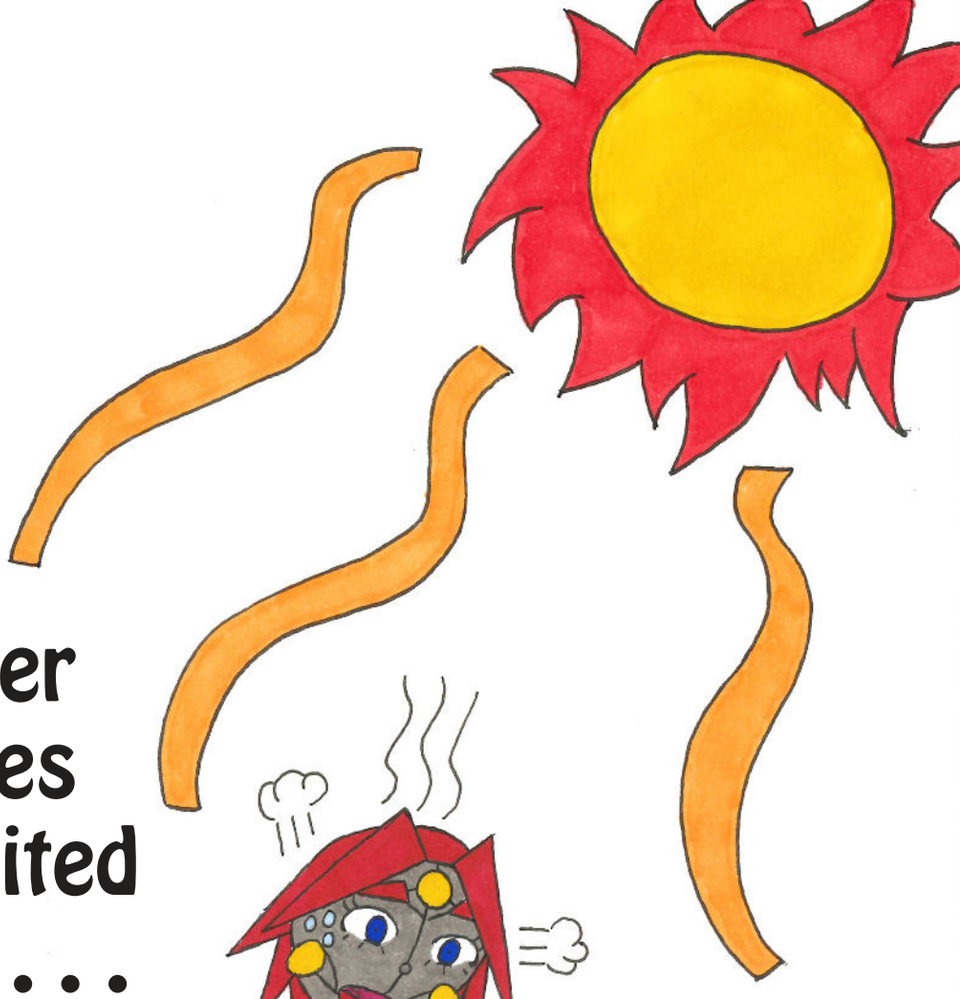
However, as time went on, Asta came to realize that she was different than her friends and fellow classmates



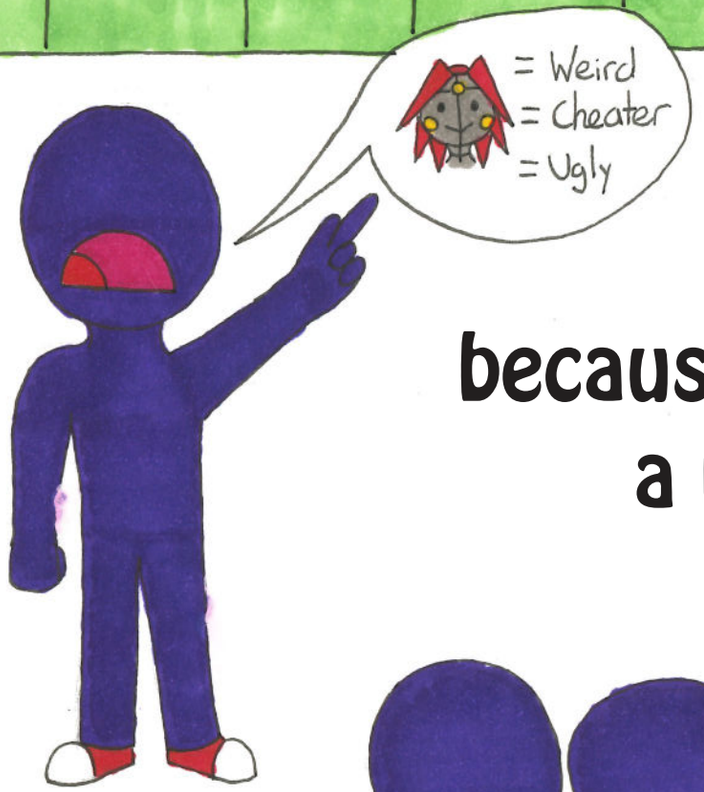


None of her classmates short-circuited in the rain . . .

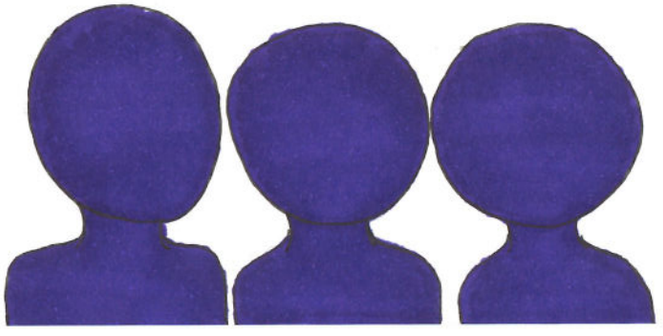
. . . or overheated when it was hot outside



Some of them even said she was only smart



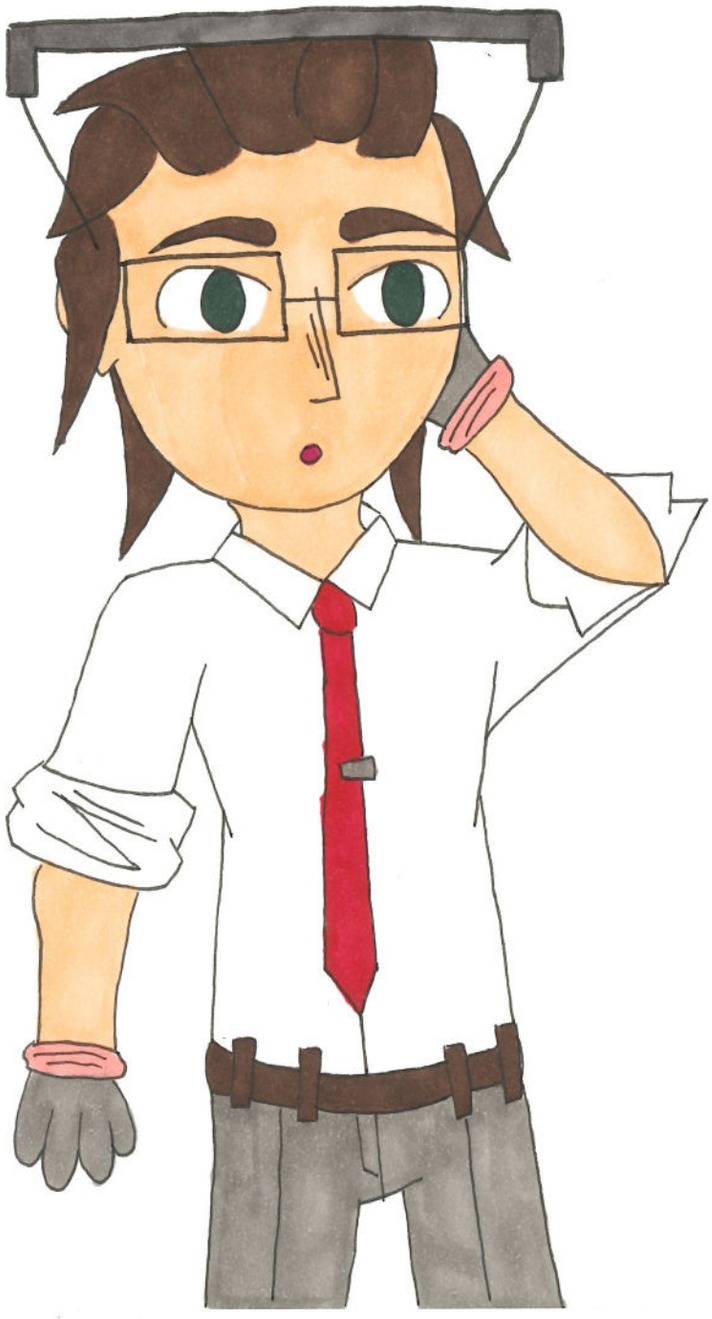
because she was a robot!



Even with comforting from her friends, Asta was bothered by her differences and wanted to be human

She went to the professor

and asked him if she could become human



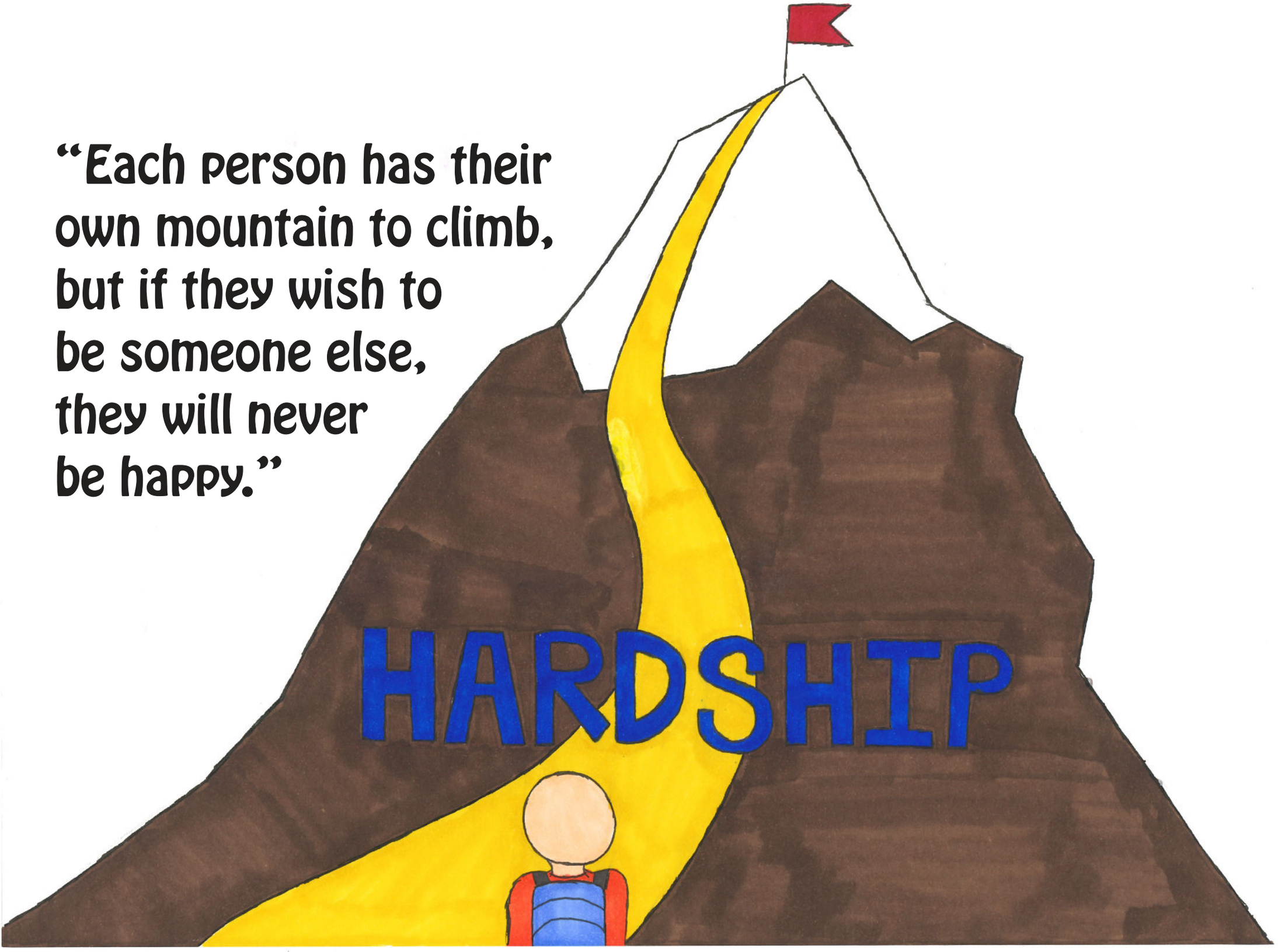
Puzzled by
her question,
he asked
“Why would you
want something
like that?”

Asta burst into tears and told the professor about all the problems she was having

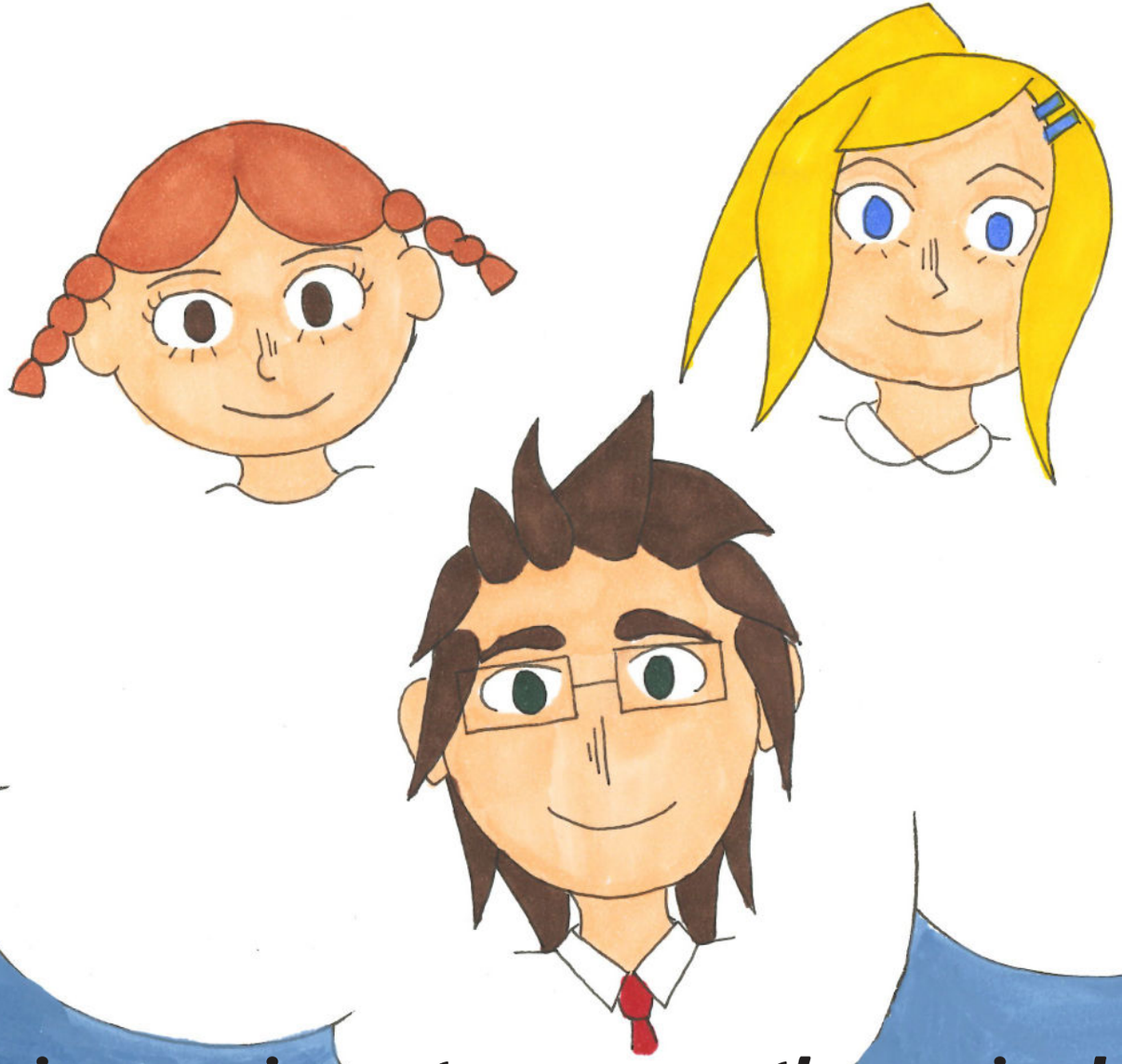
The kind professor put his arm around his creation to comfort her

He said to her "Just because your differences make life hard doesn't mean you should want to be someone else."

"Each person has their own mountain to climb, but if they wish to be someone else, they will never be happy."



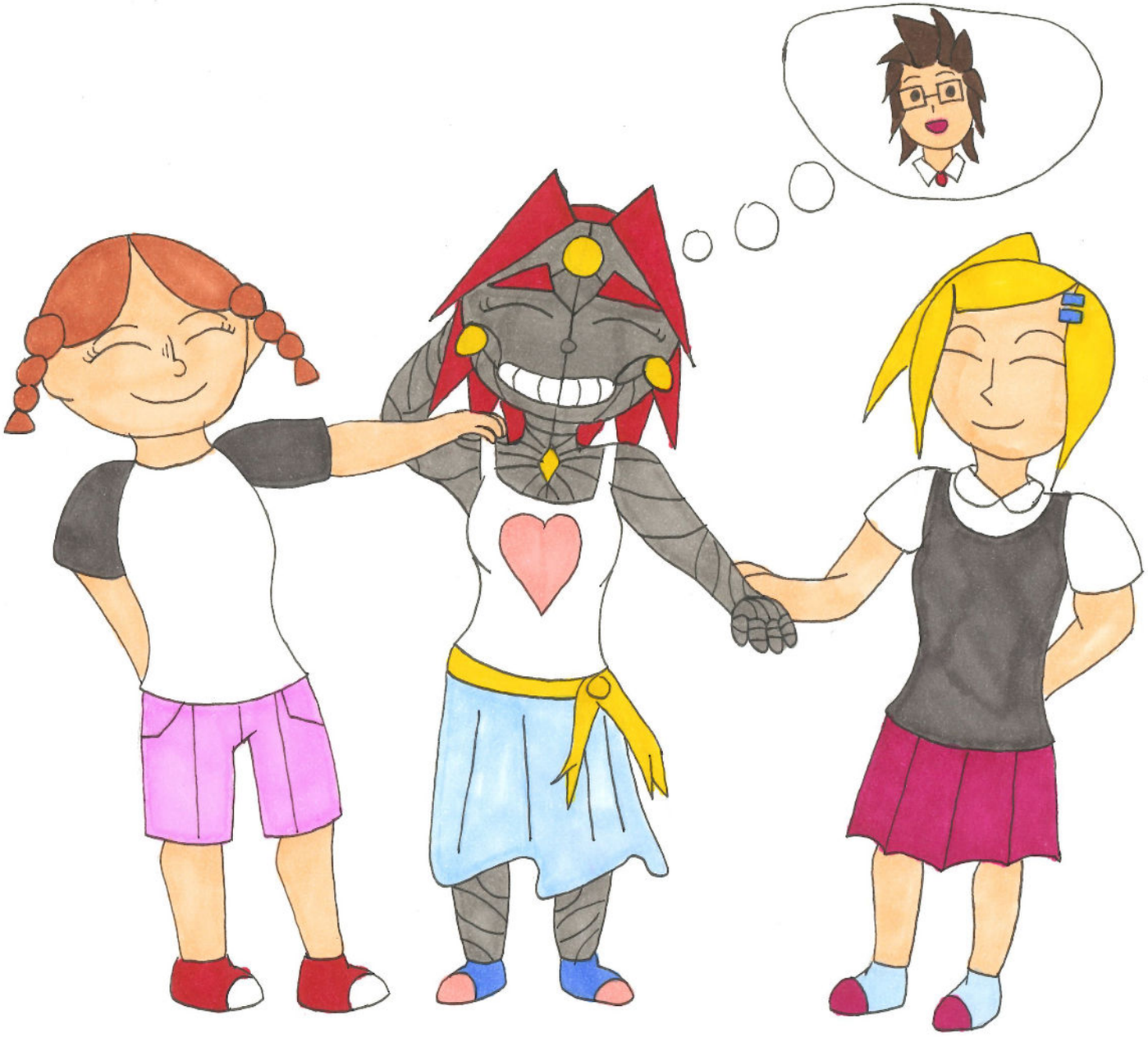
"You are a kind and gentle person



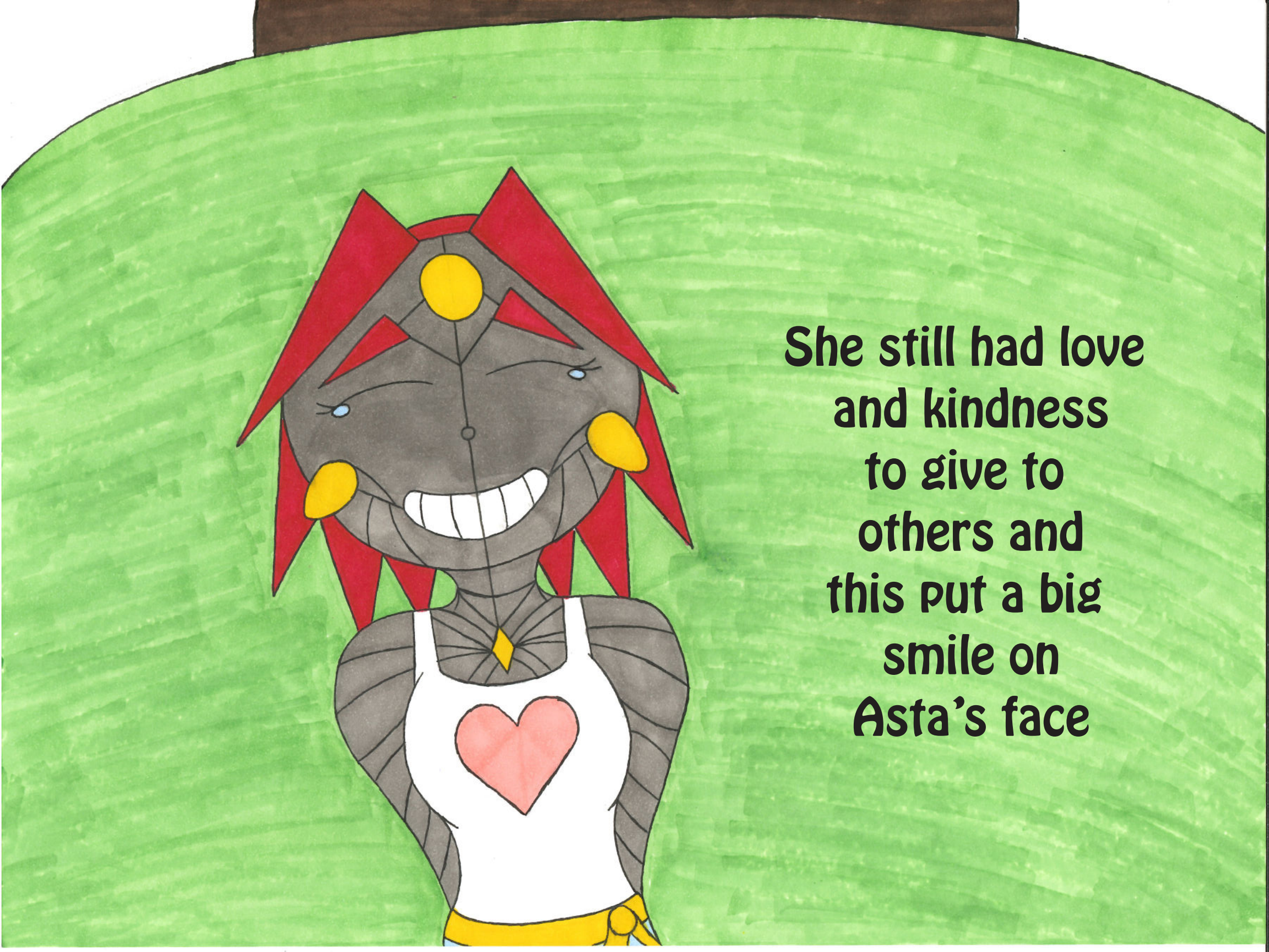
who is precious to many others, including me."

"Being a robot
isn't the only
thing you can
offer others.
Love and joy
are greater
than that,"
said the
professor
as he hugged
his creation

Asta knew in her heart that the professor was right



Even though life was hard, she still enjoyed being around her friends and the professor


She still had love
and kindness
to give to
others and
this put a big
smile on
Asta's face